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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:
RICHARD J. MARKLE ET AL.

Serial No.: 09/897,573

Filed: 7/2/2001

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR
DETERMINING GRID DIMENSIONS
USING SCATTEROMETRY

Group Art Unit: 2877

Examiner: Z. Smith

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RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION DATED JANUARY 11, 2005

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the Final Office Action dated January 11, 2005 for which the two-month date for response is March 11, 2005.

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It is believed that no fee is due; however, should any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21 be required for any reason, the Assistant Commissioner is authorized to deduct said fees from

Advanced Micro Devices, Inc. Deposit Account No. 01-0365/TT4865.

Reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested.

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(Column 1)		(Column 2)		SMALL ENTITY		OR OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY			
FOR	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA		RATE	FEE	RATE	FEE		
BASIC FEE (37 CFR 1.16(a))					\$ _____		\$ _____		
TOTAL CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(c))	minus 20 = *			X \$ _____ =		X \$ _____ =			
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(b))	minus 3 = *			X \$ _____ =		X \$ _____ =			
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT (37 CFR 1.16(d))				+\$ _____ =		+\$ _____ =			
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CLAIMS AS AMENDED - PART II									
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AMENDMENT A		CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDI- TIONAL FEE	RATE	ADDI- TIONAL FEE
	Total (37 CFR 1.16(c))	47	Minus	47	=	X \$ _____ =		X \$ _____ =	
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	FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM (37 CFR 1.16(d))					+\$ _____ =		+\$ _____ =	
						TOTAL ADD'L FEE		TOTAL ADD'L FEE	1800
AMENDMENT B		CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDI- TIONAL FEE	RATE	ADDI- TIONAL FEE
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	Independent (37 CFR 1.16(b))		Minus		=	X \$ _____ =		X \$ _____ =	
	FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM (37 CFR 1.16(d))					+\$ _____ =		+\$ _____ =	
						TOTAL ADD'L FEE		TOTAL ADD'L FEE	
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	Independent (37 CFR 1.16(b))		Minus		=	X \$ _____ =		X \$ _____ =	
	FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM (37 CFR 1.16(d))					+\$ _____ =		+\$ _____ =	
						TOTAL ADD'L FEE		TOTAL ADD'L FEE	
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